(d) whether any study has been conducted to reduce the costs of administration in the Power Grid Corporation and the PFC; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M SAYEED): (a) There is no proposal to merge Power Finance Corporation (PFC) and Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (PGCIL).

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The cost of management and administration of PFC and PGCIL are reasonable.

(d) The need for such a study has not been felt.

(e) *Does not arise.*

Deficit and surplus status in generation of power

366. SHRI MOTILAL SARKAR: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the States falling under 'deficit' and 'surplus' status in respect of generation of power;

(b) the details of newly undertaken power projects in the 'deficit' States;

(c) how many of them are in the North-East with the names of the projects, and

(d) by when these are likely to be commissioned?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): (a) The country, as a whole, experienced an energy deficit of 5.7% during the period April-June, 2004. The States having higher energy deficit than the national average level are Uttar Pradesh (14.5%), Gujarat (11.4%), Madhya Pradesh (9.3%), Maharashtra (9.0%), Karnataka (10.5%), Assam (5.9%), Meghalaya (15.4%), Mizoram (9.3%) and Tripura (10.1%).

(b) Details of power projects sanctioned for being set up in deficit States are given at in the enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(c) and (d) The following power projects are to be set up in the North Eastern Region.

Sl. No.	State/Name of Project	Capacity (MW)	Anticipated Commissioning
Assam			
1	Karbi Langpi H E. Project (Lower Borpani)	100	2007-08
Meghalaya			
2.	Myntdu H.E Project	84	2007-08
Mizoram			
3	Tuirial H.E. Project (NEEPCO)	60	2006-07
Tripura			
4.	Rokhia GT Extn. GT-8	21	02/2006
5.	Tripura Gas CCPP (NEEPCO)	280	12/2006

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Sanctioned/on-going power projects in deficit states

Sl. No.	State/Name of Project	Capacity (MW)
Uttar Pradesh		
1.	Rihand STPS St-II: Unit-3 & 4 (NTPC)	1000
2.	FG Unchahar TPP St-III. Unit-5 (NTPC)	210
3	Paricha TPS Extn.: Unit-3 & 4	420
4.	Rosa TPP Unit-1 & 2 (Const to start)	567
Gujarat/Madhya Pradesh/Maharashtra (Joint Venture).		
5.	Sardar Sarovar H E. Project	1350
Gujarat		
6.	Kutch Lignite Extn. Unit-4	75
7.	Dhuvaran CCPP Extn.	112
8.	Akrimota Lignite Based PP, Unit 1 & 2	250
Madhya Pradesh		
9.	Indira Sagar H.E. Project-(NHDC)	500
10.	Omkarashwar H E. Project (NHDC)	520

1	2	3
11	Madhikheda H.E. Project	40
12.	Bansagar Tons PH IV H.E. Project	20
13	Maheshwar # H.E. Project	400
14	Vindhyachal STPS St. III, Unit 9 & 10 (NTPC)	1000
15.	Sanjay Gandhi TPP Ext., St. III, Unit-5	500
16.	Amarkantak TPS Extn. Unit-5 (Construction to start)	210
Maharashtra		
17.	Ghatghar PSS	250
18.	Parli TPS Extn. St I	250
19.	Paras TPS Extn. U-I	250
20	Dabhol CCPP Ph-II (Commissioning held up)	1444
Karnataka		
21.	Almatti Dam H.E. Project	275
22	Varahi Extn. H.E. Project	230
23.	Bellary TPP Unit-1	500
24.	Bidadi	1400
Assam		
25.	Karbi Langpi H.E. Project (Lower Borpani)-Work held up	100
Meghalaya		
26.	Myntdu H E. Project	84
Mizoram		
27.	Turial H.E Project (NEEPCO)	60
Tripura		
28.	Rokhia GT Extn. GT-8	21
29.	Tripura Gas CCPP (NEEPCO)	280

Rural electrification

367. SHRI DATTA MEGHE: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state.

(a) the State-wise details of the number of unelectrified villages to be electrified in the country,